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### LARGEST MAP OF U. S.

Instructed of Representative Growing Crops of Each State.

Growing on six acres of a gentle southern slope of Tesson Hill at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, St. Louis, is the largest topographically correct map ever constructed.

This map is 480 feet long from east to west and extends from north to south 240 feet. The map is the main feature of the large open air exhibit by the plant industry of the Department of Agriculture and is personally superintended by Dr. J. J. Brodie, late Superintendent of the Western Washington Experiment Station, under the direction of Prof. W. J. Spillman, agrologist of the United States Department of Agriculture.

The Bureau of plant industry is made up of eight offices, comprising vegetable physiology and pathology, fibre plant investigation, poisonous and medical plant investigation and every phase of plant life. Each of the eight offices is presided over by a chief, and they vote of the combined offices. Dr. J. J. Brodie, professor of agrology, was elected to have complete control of this exhibit authorized by an act of Congress. Dr. Brodie was selected to have supervision of the planting and cultivation.

Several acres were fenced in early in April, and the entire plot was richly fertilized. The ground was plowed and harrowed, soil pulverized, and the entire plot sowed to cow peas.

This crop not only enriches the soil but prevents the growth of weeds, and will render the subsequent plowing unnecessary. As the crops to be grown will be required to be planted at intervals to a short time before the opening of the Exposition further plowing would prove impracticable. When an exhibit is ready to be installed the gardener simply pull up the cow peas covering the space required. The ground is found to be in receptive condition and requires but little work upon it.

The monster map is, of course, the main feature of this comprehensive exhibit, and the crop grown on this small farm will cost the government considerably more than \$1,000 per acre.

A belt of blue grass lawn twenty feet wide establishes the boundary and coast lines of this gigantic map. The boundary lines between the states are marked by cinder paths three feet wide. The territory comprising the fourteen states and territories of the Louisiana Purchase is marked by a gravel walk. The states themselves are to be planted in growing crops of the principle agricultural products of the state. The cinder and gravel walks serve as promenades, and are of sufficient width to permit the free passage of visitors. Thus a labyrinth of passageways is created and the visitor may wind his way through the maze and see by actual demonstration just what crops are grown in every part of the United States and how they are raised. The cereals will be the features of the great northwest, while down in Florida will be seen growing the pineapple and orange and other semi-tropical fruits and crops. Tobacco will be a prominent feature of Kentucky's allotment, while sugar cane and cotton will be found growing in the plots of ground representing other Southern states.

Not only will the products of each state be shown on this map by growing crops, but the section of the state or which each commodity is most grown will be shown. In the great northwestern state of Washington the map

at St. Louis shows that wheat, corn, potatoes, hay and wild grasses that thrive in semi-arid districts are more largely grown in the eastern portion, while in the west hay, clover, vetches, timothy orchard grasses, hops, strawberries, raspberries and blackberries are more grown. Thus on the small plot of ground that represents one great state will be found a score of different crops growing.

There will be no actual dividing line between the growing crops, though in the case of the various grasses, wheat, barley and buckwheat, the line is as distinctively drawn by a wave of color as is the line that divides the muddy waters of the Mississippi from those of the comparatively clear Ohio at the junction of the two rivers at Cairo, Ill.

While the arrangement of the exhibits in the form of the monster map will fasten the eye more quickly and will challenge the admiration of every visitor to the Fair, the agriculturalist and horticulturalist will find in the exhibits surrounding the map other exhibits of equal interest and importance.

A unique feature of the government's open-air exhibit is the school garden that occupies a large section extending (on the garden map) over the Dominion of Canada from Maine to Minnesota. This exhibit is under the personal direction of Prof. Wheeler, of Michigan, of the United States Agricultural Department. The Liberal space allotted to this exhibit has been cut up into numerous subdivisions, and each of these subdivisions in turn is turned over to the various St. Louis schools. A class of pupils is selected by the principal of the school so honored, and the actual work of planting and cultivating the garden is left to the pupils, under, of course, the general direction of Prof. Wheeler. Liberal prizes are offered for the best cultivated garden and for the best results. The sight of the little tots in their knickerbockers and gingham dresses, their sailor hats and sunbonnets equipped with hoe and rake, is a sight too seldom seen.

There are dozens of other features surrounding the map that will reveal themselves to the visitor and will prove interesting and instructive.

**Startling Evidence**  
Fresh testimony in great quantities is constantly coming in, declaring Dr. Kings New Discovery for Consumption Coughs and Colds to be unequalled. A recent expression from T. J. McFarland, Bentonville, Va. serves as example. He writes: "I had Bronchitis for three years and doctored all the time without being benefited. Then I began taking Dr. Kings New Discovery, and a few bottles wholly cured me." Equally effective in curing all Lung and Throat troubles, Consumption, Pneumonia and Grip. Guaranteed by Peoples Drug Store. Trial bottle free, regular size 50c, and \$1.00. dr

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### INFANCY OF WILD THINGS.

Pennsylvania Woodsman Tells About Bear Cubs and the Doe's Care of Her Fawns.

"Bear cubs are tiny creatures at birth, often no longer than rats," said an observant hemlock-belt woodsman, according to the New York Sun. "A friend of mine had one that, although alive and lively when he found it with its mother, which he had thoughtlessly killed, was less than four inches long."

"It was perfectly formed, but soon died, as bear cubs are sure to do if they are less than a month old when taken from their mothers. Cubs grow very fast in nature, and when they appear in the spring with their mothers they are as big as half-grown lambs."

"I know many an old hunter who not only will not kill she bears that have cubs, but will take every measure to protect them. This is from no prompting of humanity, however. It is simply with an eye out for the main chance in the future, when those cubs have grown to bears, fat and in fine fur."

"A motherless bear cub is poor property, and a bear mother nursing her young is of no use either as meat or for fur. But her cubs in a year will be worth from \$10 to \$15 apiece, and she will herself be worth more than that by the time she is ready to hole up the next winter."

"It is not an uncommon thing for a bear to have four cubs at a birth. I have heard of five at a birth. Three are common, two more common, but one may be counted on as being the most common."

"The instance of five bear cubs at a birth I can't vouch for from personal knowledge, although I saw the old bear, and the man who killed her had five cubs, which he declared were all with her when he shot her. The man was known as a person of veracity, but I have my own ideas about a man who could find it in his heart to kill a bear that had five helpless little cubs at her side. But that doesn't make him out a liar."

"I have personal knowledge, nevertheless, of a bear that had eight cubs with her when I came across her in the woods, and she was caring for them all with motherly tenderness. That was after I had heard of the one with five cubs, and I felt that I had come to a conclusion too hastily as to the veracity of the man who had exhibited them."

"This bear with eight cubs was such an extraordinary and unheard-of thing that I resolved to capture the whole family alive if I could. When the old bear saw me she withdrew, with a great show of fierceness, to the refuge of a fallen tree top, hustling the cubs along in advance of her."

"While reconnoitering to see how it might be possible for me to carry out my designs on the bear fairly, I stumbled over a dead bear only a few rods from where the other one and the eight cubs had their quarters. It was a big bear, and she had had her cubs."

"What killed her I do not know, but I thought I had a clear explanation of the other bear's remarkable family. She had four cubs of her own, and, having come across the orphaned cubs whining on the dead body of their mother, she had adopted them and was rearing them with her own milk. I made no further effort to capture that bear family, and the five she had undoubtedly died on the carcass of the dead mother of her four cubs."

"I have seen about fawns and their mothers. A fawn when first born is for some hours unable to stand. The doe does not remain beside it, but paces slowly around at a considerable distance."

"Every little while she gives a tremulous, low, bleating call. At the sound the fawn lifts its head and tries to straggle to its feet."

"Should the doe scent danger, such as the approach of some one in the woods, she runs away in a straight line, but jaggingly and haltingly, as though she were badly hurt. When she is satisfied that she has turned the enemy far enough away, she gives three great flying leaps, which quickly take her out of sight, and she returns speedily to her helpless young."

"If she is not disturbed she keeps up the pacing about and the bleating until she sees the fawn able to rise and keep its feet. Then she prances faintly away in a straight line, choosing always the easiest thoroughfare."

"As she goes she calls faintly, stopping every few yards to look over her shoulder to see that the fawn is following. She conducts the little one to a hiding place, and she can and does hide her fawn from sight, although one may be almost upon it, as absolutely as the hen pheasant eludes her brood into concealment at a sign of danger."

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